

BOROUGH OF HOMESTEAD

COUNCIL MEETS SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH



"Center of the World's Steel Industry"
HOMESTEAD, PENNA.

Feb 18, 1941.

Dear friend Abe, - I was in Cleveland in an effort to get the Cleveland Park for some of the games for our League. I thought better do this before the joint meeting. Your letter was at home when I arrived. You will likely hear from Sonny in a day or so. However I can answer your questions and explain the delay in answering.

Sonny and I had decided to have Lee go south with the club, and upon its return from the south we wanted him to stay in the office during the summer and help book games, as I am getting so tied up that I spend little time in the office.

Lee did not want it that way, and could not see himself working out a spring sched rule and then not travelling with the club.

We had about decided to train in W. Va. starting in April 15th, when Lee changed his mind. Then

we decided to go through with the original plans of training in Orlando.

We leave for Orlando the last Sunday in March.

We will have to work out some plans for Decoration Day before the schedule meeting.

I thought N.Y., Baltimore or Newark would be fine on Decoration Day.

If any one of these dates were available it would have solved the question. Especially with Cubans and Black yards playing each other in New York.

I will try to have a good spot available when I get to Chicago. I am a little afraid of a Lake city on a holiday, due to picnics and boat rides.

What do you think of an Elk game in Newark? I can get the full co-operation of the Newark Lodge and Temple.

I think a night game in June would be profitable.

I personally think if we can book ten or twelve Elk games during the season on other dates but Sundays, they will help.

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I have New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cleveland, Pgh.,
Wash. D.C., Columbus, Charleston W. Va., Chicago, already
lined up.

The money the Elks get out of their games
goes toward athletic scholarships. We are
sending one boy to school in this way now.
all we ask for the Elks is the same as
a promoter would get and we have the
added advantage of their bands and march-
ing clubs.

We can talk on this in Chicago.

If I ride over with Sonny I will get there
Sat. morn. At this time I am figuring on
going by train and arriving Sunday morning as
the last few weeks I have been to various
cities seeing about Parks and I can not

desert my job altogether.

At some times I think we play it backwards. For example we jump out and play games in strange cities with a week or ten days advance publicity and in many cases with out the right contacts.

In my opinion it would be advantageous to the whole league if we could designate one man to line up about fifteen parks, and get the dates wanted a month or so in advance, then contact the Sports Editor and the radio announcer in each city and get a responsible person in each city to have us use his name as the promoter.

We have too many parasites advancing our game in strange communities, by that I mean any Tom, Dick or Harry, where we should get some respected citizen whose name alone will draw people to the Park.

It will take money for this but it will be money well spent, if we have the right advance man. However we will talk this over in Chicago.

Yours
Carm Posny